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FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT

LS 6180

BILL NUMBER: HB 1176

DATE PREPARED: Oct 30, 2001

BILL AMENDED:

SUBJECT: Driver's License Penalty for Game Law Violations.

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FUNDS AFFECTED: **GENERAL**
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 FEDERAL

IMPACT: State

Summary of Legislation: This bill provides that for failure to appear in response to a summons for a violation committed within the view of a conservation officer, the court shall: (1) for a resident, issue an order to suspend the defendant's driver's license and notify the Bureau of Motor Vehicles (BMV) of the suspension; or (2) for a nonresident, notify the BMV of the defendant's failure to appear. It requires the BMV, upon receipt of notice concerning a nonresident, to notify the driver licensing authority of the defendant's state and ask that state to take appropriate action under its laws. (The introduced version of this bill was prepared by the Natural Resources Study Committee.)

Effective Date: July 1, 2002.

Explanation of State Expenditures: In CY 2000, the BMV reports that there were 124,729 driver's licenses suspended. Specific data on the number of suspended permits are not available. The newly created suspension will be handled in the current manner by the BMV. No additional expenditures are expected to result from this proposal. The fund affected is the Motor Vehicle Highway Account which supports the BMV.

Explanation of State Revenues:

Explanation of Local Expenditures:

Explanation of Local Revenues:

State Agencies Affected: Bureau of Motor Vehicles.

Local Agencies Affected:

Information Sources: Driver license data for 2000.